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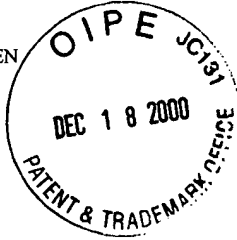
In Re the Application of:

ALY AARESTRUP MICHAELSEN

Application No.: 09/608,988

Filed: June 30, 2000

For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FLEXIBLE
HIGH SPEED COMMUNICATION**



Art Group:

Examiner:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F. R. § 1.136(a), Applicant for the above-identified application respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a two (2) month extension of time, extending the period for response to December 29, 2000, from the Notice to File Missing Parts dated August 29, 2000. A check in the amount of \$390.00 (petition filing fee) and the Response to Notice to File Missing Parts are attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

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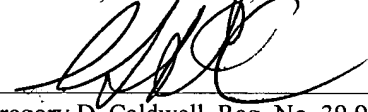
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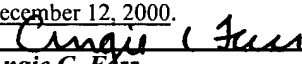
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